

MINUTES OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

CV-05-0040

May 3, 2007
9:00 a.m.

SAIPAN HANDICRAFT -vs- MICRONESIAN WOODCRAFT ENTERPRISES

PRESENT: Hon. Alex R. Munson, Chief Judge Presiding
Randy Schmidt, Law Clerk
Ellia Ciamaichella, Law Clerk
Sanae Shmull, Court Reporter
K. Lynn Lemieux, Courtroom Deputy
Stephen Nutting, Attorney for Plaintiffs
Danilo Aguilar, Attorney for Defendants
Richard Pierce, Attorney for Defendants
Edward Manibusan, Attorney for Defendants

PROCEEDINGS: MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

Plaintiffs were represented in court by Attorney Stephen Nutting. Defendants counsel Attorneys Richard Pierce, Danilo Aguilar and Edward Manibusan were present in the Courtroom.

Attorney Nutting stated that there has been a complete breakdown in communication between he and his client. Further, he advised the Court that he had notified his client of this hearing in writing.

Court, after hearing testimony, GRANTED the motion and stated that a written order would be forthcoming.

Adjourned 9:05

/s/K. Lynn Lemieux, Courtroom Deputy